

RESOLUTION NO. _____, SERIES 2008

**A RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE LOCATION OF EXPLOSIVE
ORDNANCE FACILITIES IN SENSITIVE AREAS OF THE COMMUNITY**

Sponsored By: Councilman DOUG HAWKINS

WHEREAS, KRS Chapter 67C allows the Metro Council to determine the policy and manner of use of all Metro property, buildings and facilities, and

WHEREAS, the Metro Mayor has determined to locate a storage facility for the containment of explosives, munitions, and other possibly hazardous material the Metro Police are required from time to time to remove as a matter of public safety, adjacent to the Cardinal Hill reservoir, and

WHEREAS, such location is the critical water supply for much of Southern Jefferson County, and the route into and out of Cardinal passes close by many homes, schools and other populated places, and

WHEREAS, Cardinal Hill is not a secure or guarded facility, but merely one protected by ordinary fencing, thus being susceptible to all manner of trespasser, vandal or worse, and

WHEREAS, no security plan or emergency evacuation plan has ever been formulated to deal with the sensitive location and the problems it presents.

Now therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE
LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT (THE COUNCIL) AS
FOLLOWS:**

SECTION I: That the Mayor is hereby asked to find a different location for the explosives containment facility, one which is far from schools and homes, and inside a highly secured perimeter.

SECTION II: That before any new location for an explosives containment facility is made, full public hearings, and assessments are made by the appropriate Metro agencies and the Metro Council apprised as such.

SECTION III: This Resolution shall take effect upon its passage and approval.

Kathleen J. Herron
Metro Council Clerk

Jim King
President of the Council

Jerry E. Abramson
Mayor

Approval Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Irv Maze
Jefferson County Attorney

BY: _____